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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Attn: Wireline Competition Bureau

Re: Notice of Consolidation of Commonly-Owned Study Areas in Iowa Butler-Bremer Mutual Telephone Company Iowa Study Areas 351115 and 351295 CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Butler-Bremer Mutual Telephone Company ("Butler-Bremer") and Shell Rock Communications, Inc. are incumbent local exchange carriers with two study areas in the state of Iowa – Study Area Codes 351115 and 351295, respectively. This letter is notification to the Commission that effective May 1, 2018, Butler-Bremer will consolidate those study areas. The surviving study area code will be 351115.

Should you have any questions with respect to this matter, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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